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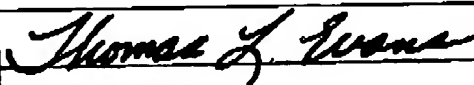
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Applicants respectfully ask for reconsideration of both this application and the Office

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Claims 1-25 are pending in this application. None of these claims are amended herein.

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U.S.C. §101 for purportedly being directed to non-statutory subject matter. Applicants again